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Coach Promises Exciting Games for Crusaders

by TAMMY HUTSON

The Clarke Crusader basketball team may have started practicing later than its opponents, but if the new coach has his way, the team will more than make up for the delay.

Coach Kevin Holland started practicing with the women's team on Saturday, Nov. 12. He rescheduled the first three games of the season. The team's first game is Tuesday, Dec. 6, against Iowa Wesleyan's team. The game will be in the PAC at 7 p.m.

Holland said the team members want to win. The team practiced on weekends and a few days during Thanksgiving break. Holland said the Thanksgiving practices were necessary to make up for every day without one.

He said, "We are a step behind, but with a lot of hard work and dedication we can make up for it."

The team is working on fundamentals and drills. Holland will continue this type of practicing until the team reaches perfection in their

drills. Because the players come from different coaching backgrounds, they first need to become accustomed to Holland's style of coaching.

Holland said the team will be fast and quick with some crowd-pleasing razzle-dazzle. "Once people come to a game they'll come back for more," Holland said.

Holland has set some high goals for his team. "The paramount goal that I have for them is that they learn to play as a team - they learn the art of comradeship."

He said that if the players learn teamwork it will pay off for them not only in basketball, but in their future careers too.

Holland added, "They will show other teams they are a respectable ball club. Their pushover days are gone." Holland was referring to the lopsided defeats the team faced last season.

As the players work hard preparing for the season, Holland has his homework to do. He is un-

familiar with the opponents and plans to scout their games before the Crusaders face them in game situations.

Holland will also be busy recruiting for next season. He said, "As a college coach one of the key things you do is keep the team going for the next season."

Holland is from Scales Mound, Ill. He received his bachelor's degree in social science and education from St. Xavier College in 1980. He participated in track, cross country and basketball. After working for a year, Holland attended the University of Kent in Canterbury, England where he received his master's degree in international relations in 1983. Holland was a player/coach for the university basketball club there.

Holland has ten players practicing this season. He gave the two seniors, JoEllen Burds and Beth Mueller, the honor of being co-captains. The rest of the team will rotate for the third captain position. Other students are:

Bumgardner, Sharon Brown, Smith and Danielle Eibey. Patty Suzanne Eich, Gail Hodge, Jan Robarge is team manager.



Coach Kevin Holland

Frommelt Leads Nursing Organization

by TERRI WALLERICH

The newly organized Clarke Student Nursing Association is a first year member of the National Student Nursing Association, the largest independent student organization in the country. Maria Frommelt, Clarke CSNA president, says 27 students are involved in the club open to any nursing major.

The club is organizing a pinning ceremony for sophomores, according to Frommelt. This ceremony is the initialization of their first clinical experience. CSNA is going to try to schedule Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation classes at Clarke.

A fundraiser will be held before finals to allow the club to sponsor community projects, clinics and guest speakers.

Along with the nursing department, CSNA will hold an open house in the nursing lab from 1 to 4 p.m. tomorrow, Dec. 3. A skill demonstration in the nursing lab for the nurses needing to brush up on their skills, and tutoring sessions are other activities CSNA hopes to organize.

The \$25 yearly membership dues give the members many benefits, according to Frommelt. Members receive a year's subscription to Im-

print magazine and are eligible for \$183,000 worth of scholarships. They can also get reduced rates for magazines, books, state board reviews, and malpractice insurance. Members of CSNA also receive membership pins and are eligible for writing contests and conventions in Washington.

Frommelt said, "Clarke really needs CSNA. The nursing department is busy working on accreditation so it doesn't have time for all the things CSNA can provide." She added that it helps the students to become professional.

The other officers of CSNA are Jane O'Boyle, vice-president; Laurie Donnel, treasurer; Monica Rhomberg, secretary; Tom Bartsch, senior representative; Sandi Franek, junior representative; Lori Helle, sophomore representative; and Kathy O'Keefe, freshman representative.

Frommelt mentioned that CSNA is still accepting new memberships. Anyone interested should contact her at ext. 500 or box 136.

"I'm looking forward to a good year," said Frommelt. "We have a lot of enthusiasm, great ideas, and leaders who will do a good job. CSNA is a big plus Clarke needs."

Common Rape Myths Dispelled

by RENEE SOTO

Four Clarke social work/sociology majors have completed a six week Rape/Sexual Assault Intervention Program at Mercy Hospital. The training program was sponsored by the Dubuque Mental Health center. Because the criterion of the program guarantees confidentiality, the names of the Clarke students involved have been withheld.

Training sessions were held every Thursday from 7-9 p.m. Participants expanded their knowledge and dispelled their myths of rape. At the end of the training, participants could become advocates for rape victims. Three of the four students chose to become advocates. Nobody who attends the workshops is obligated to volunteer as a rape advocate.

One of the major goals of the group is to make the public aware that rape is not a sexual act but one of violence with emotional, physical and legal implications. These sessions are held across Iowa and provide opportunities to become educated and an advocate.

A Clarke student participating in the sessions who chose to become an advocate said one of the most eye-opening aspects of the program was learning that "facts" she had known concerning rape were far from the truth. The primary motive for rape, she advocated learned, is not sexual but aggressive. "Rape is a crime of intimidation and violence committed by a man who uses sex as a weapon to inflict violence on his victims. By the time the sexual assault takes place, she (the victim) has often been terrorized or immobilized with fear into cooperating with her assailant," according to a fact sheet given to the students. One student said "Rape is not sexual. It is an act of violence and has no favorites. The young, the old, the attractive and the not-so-attractive - they are all victims."

A student described the rape advocate's purpose, "To be there for the person for the reasons you wouldn't normally think of. We are trained as personal counselors, we are a support system." All advocates are scheduled to be available, by wearing a beeper, 24

hours a day, for seven days, every month or so, to the whole of Dubuque County. The advocate meets the victim at the hospital if the victim chooses to have an advocate, and spends from three to four hours with her. (An advocate has never been refused.) During this time, the advocate stands next to the victim and is compassionate and supportive, adding an element of humanness in the immediate time following this most inhumane act.

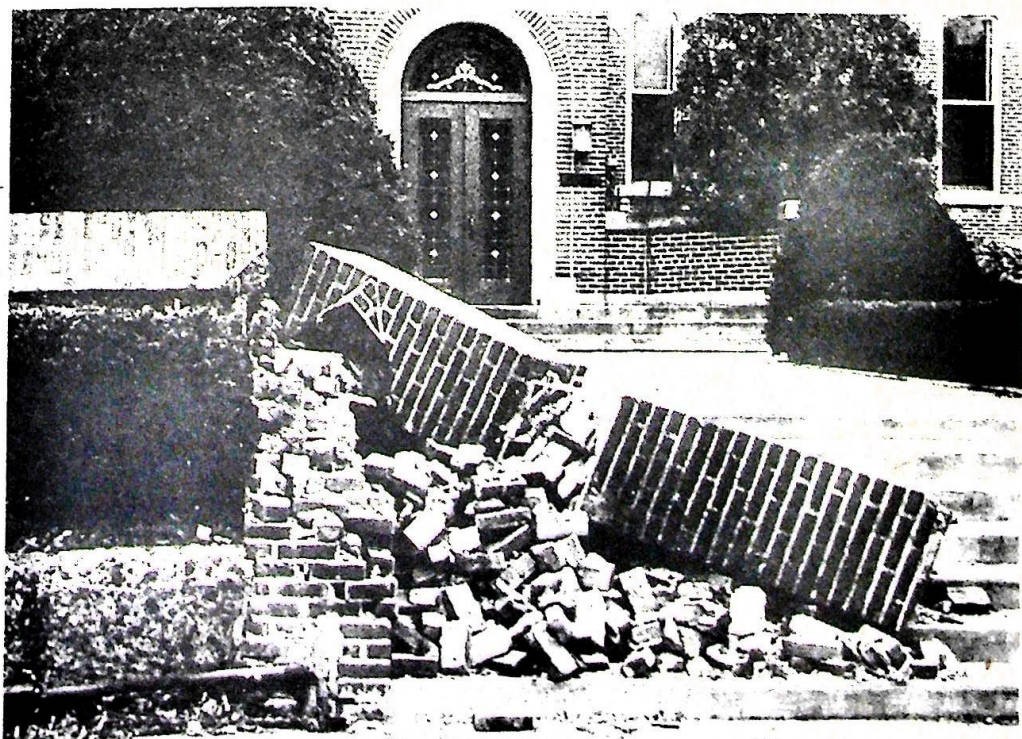
It is at this time that victim must deal with the hounding of policemen looking for information, the prodding of doctors searching for evidence and the handling of herself, trying to gain control. Students attending the sessions found the professionals, such as doctors and lawyers are just beginning to come around in terms of becoming informed of the realities of rape, yet sometime manage to be overbearing and unsupportive. Often they tend to think the woman "asked" to be raped. Police officers have been known to question a victim repeatedly, causing the victim to feel guilty - as though she somehow prompted her attack. This confusion is particularly apparent when the victim knew the offender prior to the crime. She may feel as though she unknowingly used poor judgement and seductive behavior to cause her attack, when usually, the rapist probably maneuvered the conditions that lead to the attack.

Another false myth of rape was made visible to the participants - rape is not often an act of impulse between strangers. Menachim Amir, author of *Forcible Rape*, found that 71 percent of all reported rapes were planned and 48 percent of these occurred when the victim and offender did know each other in some capacity.

At the hospital, the victim is examined for evidence of venereal disease, pregnancy, sperm, and damage to the body - externally and internally. Prior to the examination, she is instructed to shed all of her clothing, which will be checked carefully, in the presence of a hospital staff and her advocate. The clothing may possibly be used as evidence later. Should pregnancy occur as a result of the rape, the vic-

tim will receive counseling before and after she decides to continue or terminate the pregnancy, according to the advocate. Statistics taken from the Cleveland Rape Crisis Center Collective show that 3-5 percent of reported rapes result in pregnancy.

As a result of this training, all four Clarke students feel they have become more aware. Rape can happen to anybody, they realize. One student said, "Yes. Me and you. Our sisters. Our friends, our mothers, our grandmothers." And new questions are raised in the minds of the advocates. "Just why is it, women cannot go for a walk at night alone if they feel like it? Why must a woman fear getting into her car? Going into her home?" The training session might not have answered these questions while posing them, but awareness that has been heightened caused these students to be more in tune to the needs and realities of the rape victim and the crime committed.



A brick column marking the sidewalk entrance to Margaret Mann Hall was destroyed by an automobile over Thanksgiving break. Police and ambulance vehicles responded to the incident although no one was injured.

Mitten Tree Party Provides Christmas Fun

by TAMMY HUTSON

I hope Sister Katherine Ann Beckman had a successful bazaar for the Working Boys' Center.

Her enthusiasm for helping the underprivileged families in Quito definitely boosted her sales of homemade crafts and Christmas decorations. Some of the items were made by the people of Quito.

As soon as I entered the Union Quiet Lounge she made it clear that the proceeds were going to Quito, not to herself. Many of the items for sale were given to Sister by her family. Eventually her enthusiasm is contagious.

Clarke students are given ample opportunities to help less fortunate people in other ways. This weekend

CSA is sponsoring the annual mitten-tree party.

How fitting that after a week long Thanksgiving break with our families we can share a little love with children in Dubuque. The children are invited through their elementary school principals. The Clarke van will bring children to the student dining room on Sunday for

an afternoon of Christmas fun.

Everyone at Clarke can take part in this holiday spirit of giving by donating children's mittens to be hung on the Christmas tree. The mittens will be stuffed with goodies and given to the children.

The best part of the afternoon is the hugs and the little chubby hands that cling to the helpers. The kids

will sing Christmas carols, watch skits and movies, play games and eat refreshments. Of course Santa Claus will be around, too.

My favorite Christmas party of the year is the mitten tree party. The Clarkies who help with the party dress in red and green like little elves. And although this is a busy time of the semester I think on Sunday afternoon I'd rather spend a few hours with these Dubuque children than studying. I doubt if I'll ever forget the expressions of these children.

Come join the fun on Sunday, Dec 4 at 2 p.m. in the dining room. Get into the real Christmas Spirit by giving a little of yourself to these children who need you.

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Homecoming Thanks

To the Clarke College Community:

Homecoming 1983 may be a thing of the past, but the memory will live long into the future. It was a great one, thanks to the many, many people who devoted so much to that special weekend in October.

I do not wish to overlook anyone who participated in the planning and actual execution of the weekend - students, faculty, staff and administration. And in that effort, I wish to express this public and heartfelt "THANK YOU" to each person involved for their contribution of time, talent and creative energy which made Homecoming 1983 such a success.

Gratefully,
Becky Reding
Director of Alumni

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To the Editor:

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Patty Robarge

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LAURA SMITH

It was one of those cases where anticipation of the event turned out to be better than the event itself. When the Police played at the Unidome at the University of Northern Iowa on Sunday a lot of illusions were shattered about the super trio.

everyone the opportunity to buy popcorn, T-shirts, go to the restroom and other more exciting activities, the Police were warmly welcomed by the near-20,000 crowd.

Gordon (Sting) Sumner, Stewart Copeland and Andy Summers probably put on a good show but it was lost in the muffle of a terrible sound system. Granted, the

Unidome doesn't have the world's best acoustics. This is due to the fact that they can't fly (or hang) any of their sound because of the roof support system. Consequently, many bands try to create the illusion of flying their sound by building it up on a framework of metal tresses. This framework combined with the damp weather and an incompetent

sound man made for some of the worst sounds in music since the last Go-Go's album. When there was a constant bass buzz and there wasn't a bass being played I began to suspect that the sound man didn't know what he was doing.

The Police opened their show with "Synchronicity," title tune off their latest album. It sounded as if it

might not be too bad. Except for being excessively loud and somewhat muffled they sounded like themselves and were playing around like they do on their videos. Once the sound man set his levels it was down hill from there. The sad part was knowing that they were playing good stuff. The frustrating part was that you just couldn't hear past the buzz.

I probably would have forgiven them for this musical sin if the Police had been on the first leg of their tour. The Unidome was one of the last three shows on their tour and they should have had those problems ironed out.

In all fairness I have to say the light show, complete with a fog machine and flood lights was one of the best I've ever seen and Sting put on a wonderful performance. His and Stewart Copeland's exuberance made the entire show worthwhile. Andy Summers, on the other hand, looked lost more than a few times and even wandered offstage during a few songs.

I was far more impressed with Sting's performance than anything else. The man seems to have limitless energy, bouncing and jumping and dancing all over the stage. It was fun to watch him because you knew he was having a good time.

I don't know where I got the idea that the Police put on a three man show. I now know better than ever why over-dubbing is necessary in the studio. Along with the Police on stage were four back-up singers, an extra bassist, an extra guitarist, and I'm not positive, but I think recorded music. I drew this conclusion when Copeland walked away from his drum kit and the drums played on.

Along with new music from the "Synchronicity" album, the Police played many of their old favorites including "Message in a Bottle," "De do do do De da da da," "Don't Stand so Close to Me," "Invisible Sun," and, of course, "Roxanne."

Looking back on how the concert could have sounded I feel cheated; however, I'm still enthused about their music and will continue to admire their work. However, their live performances will never hold that special feeling I wanted to feel Sunday night.

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Resident

JOHN SULLIVAN
The second and third floor west wings in Mary Benedict will be occupied next semester and, accordingly or not, students will be moving into them. The rooms were occupied this semester because of the possibility of bricks falling off the exterior of the building and landing into one of the rooms. Administrators did not know what repairs were necessary and whether the rooms could be oc-

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Doug Schlesier's attempt to find he has created new avenues



Associate professor of art, Doug Schlesier

Clarke/Loras

TAMMY HUTSON
Clarke students Mari Yakota and Saeko Yamamoto will be taking 29 other students "home" with them during Christmas break. They are members of the Clarke/Loras Singers and "home" is Japan. The Clarke/Loras Singers, which are celebrating its 15th anniversary, are giving five concerts during its tour of Japan, Jan. 2-17. Conductor John Lease has been to Japan several times. Last summer he went to Tokyo to plan the tour and the Clarke/Loras Singers received an invitation from the Little Singers. Yakota was a member of the "Little Singers" and Saeko is presently involved with the Little Singers. Lease said the singers serve as ambassadors of friendship through music. He thinks the cultural exchange is similar to the Friendship Exchange. Every two years he takes the group abroad. This is their seventh tour.